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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$654.
 - \$414 for 23 total claims over 20.
 - \$240 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1494.

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\$ 130.00

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Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)(Large Entity)		Docket No. 55,279 (20786)
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Serial No. 09/828,444	Filing Date April 6, 2001	Examiner Unassigned	Group Art Unit 2161
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Invention: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING PERSONALIZED INFORMATION TO USERS
IN A COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENT

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) mailed on

May 21, 2001

Date

Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

- A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533). (REQUIRED)
- An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- A verified English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Other (list):

**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application
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Docket No.
55,279 (20786)

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Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/828,444	April 6, 2001	Unassigned	2161

**Invention: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING PERSONALIZED INFORMATION TO USERS
IN A COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENT**

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- Completion of application fees as calculated below:

Utility application filing fee \$710.00

Design application filing fee

Total number of independent claims = **6** **\$240.00**

Total number of claims = **43** **\$414.00**

Multiple dependent claims

Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath **\$130.00**

Petition and fee for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor

Fee for processing an application filed with a non-English language specification

Fee for processing and retention of application

Total completion of application fees \$1,494.00

and in the provisions of 37 CFR 1.128(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the

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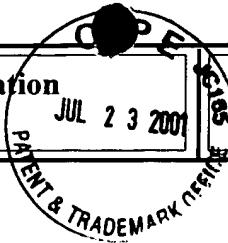
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**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) (Large Entity)**

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Serial No.
09/828,444

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Invention: **METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING PERSONALIZED INFORMATION TO USERS
IN A COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENT**

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The fee of **\$1,494.00** is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.
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- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **04-1105**
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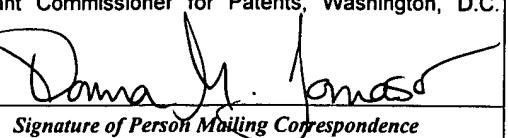


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